

International Union against the Venereal Diseases and Treponematoses

Meeting in Venice, May 27 to 31, 1972

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

At an Executive Meeting of the IUVDT held in Warsaw on June 2 and 3, 1971, the following provisional programme was agreed:

SATURDAY MAY 27, 1972

A joint meeting of the IUVDT with the XIV International Congress of Dermatology will be held in Venice (Lido) and Padua.

Main Theme (5) 'Venereal Diseases' (2-hour sessions—9.30–11.30 a.m. at Venice and 3–5 p.m. at Padua.

Opening speakers:

Dr. Claude Nicol (*U.K.*) (coordinator) 'Muco-cutaneous signs of early infectious syphilis'

Prof. Anton Luger (*Austria*) 'Treatment of syphilis'

Prof. Sebastiao Sampaio (*Brazil*) 'Muco-cutaneous manifestations of (other) sexually transmitted diseases'

There will also be an opening speaker (Dr Gerald M. Levene) on 'Immunology in Syphilis'. Two speakers to open the discussions will be nominated by the Congress.

Visit to Padua University.

Evening—Dinner at the Royal Villa of Stra.

SUNDAY MAY 28, 1972

10.00 a.m. Opening ceremony of the IUVDT Meeting in Venice.

Registration, followed by a meeting of the Executive Committee.

Free afternoon in Venice.

MONDAY MAY 29, 1972

Meeting at the Ospedale SS Giovanni e Paolo, Venice.

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. Theme 1: 'Changing patterns in the organization of venereal disease and treponematoses services'.

The following opening speakers have been invited: Dr. Bruce Webster (*U.S.A.*), Prof. G. A. Canaperia (*Italy*), Dr. Martin Boyer (*France*), Dr. R. D. Catterall (*U.K.*), Prof. A. Perdrup (*Denmark-Greenland*), Dr. F. Norton-Brandaõ (*Portugal*), Prof. E. Grin (*Jugoslavia*), Dr. H. Delune (*Belgium*), Prof. Karolyi (*Hungary*), Dr. O. P. Arya (*Uganda*), Dr. C. Alarcón (*Venezuela*).

3 p.m.–6 p.m. Theme 2: 'Prophylaxis in the control of syphilis and gonorrhoea in developed and developing countries'.

The following opening speakers have been invited: Dr. T. Guthe, Dr. R. R. Willcox, Dr. A. Siboulet, Dr. W. J. Brown, Prof. J. Cutler.

Evening—Performance at Fenice Theatre.

TUESDAY MAY 30, 1972

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. Theme 3: 'Miscellaneous papers on the social and behavioural aspects of venereal diseases and treponematoses'.

The following opening speakers have been invited: Prof. Juhlin, Dr. A. Dalzell-Ward, Dr. Stark Romanus, Dr. Elias (Kinsey Foundation), Dr. Kelus.

Afternoon—Trip to islands in lagoon of Venice.

Evening—Official dinner in Venice.

WEDNESDAY MAY 31, 1972

9.30 a.m. General Assembly of IUVDT followed by 2nd Meeting of Executive Committee.

Those wishing to attend should write to Dr. Claude Nicol, Lydia Dept., St. Thomas' Hospital, London, S.E.1.—Short papers will be limited to 10 minutes.

Travel and booking arrangements may be made in the country of origin (possibly on a group basis-package tour) or through an Italian Agency in Venice to be arranged by Prof. G. A. Canaperia. Fees for the meeting (excluding official dinner) will be \$25 for delegates (\$20 for Union members) and \$10 for those accompanying delegates.